

HOUSE BILL No. 1719

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: None (noncode).

Synopsis: Medicaid coverage for county home residents. Requires the office of Medicaid policy and planning to amend the state Medicaid plan to provide medical coverage for county home residents.

Effective: Upon passage.

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January 21, 2003, read first time and referred to Committee on Human Affairs.

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Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT concerning health.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE] (a) As used in this
2 SECTION, "office" refers to the office of Medicaid policy and
3 planning established by IC 12-8-6-1.

4 (b) Before September 1, 2003, the office shall seek approval
5 under 42 U.S.C. 1396 et seq. from the United States Department of
6 Health and Human Services to amend the state Medicaid plan to
7 provide Medicaid coverage to a resident of a county home (as
8 defined in IC 12-7-2-46.2) who otherwise meets the state's
9 Medicaid eligibility requirements.

10 (c) The office may not implement the amendment to the state
11 plan until the United States Department of Health and Human
12 Services approves the amendment and the office files an affidavit
13 with the governor attesting that the amendment to the state plan
14 applied for under this SECTION has been approved. The office
15 shall file the affidavit under this subsection not later than five (5)
16 days after the office is notified that the amendment is approved.

17 (d) If the United States Department of Health and Human
18 Services approves the amendment requested under this SECTION



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1 and the governor receives the affidavit filed under subsection (c),
2 the office shall implement the amended state plan not more than
3 sixty (60) days after the governor receives the affidavit.

4 (e) The office may adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 necessary to
5 implement this SECTION.

6 (f) This SECTION expires December 31, 2008.

7 SECTION 2. An emergency is declared for this act.

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